

# FIR

*Fast Incident Response*

# Questions?

*Ask them any time*

# Life before **FIR**

*was not tender*

- **6000** line Excel file
- **1 row** per incident, some columns
- **1 cell** for eventual comments
- Stats & reports were generated **with a macro**
- **Single** user (**locked files**)

**No tracking**

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**No intel**

# Alternatives

*back in 2012*

- We **asked** around...
- **Commercial** solutions → not well adapted
- **RTIR** (Request Tracker mod) → user hostile
- No serious **FOSS** project

**No flexibility**



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**~50% need**

**coverage**

*The solution seemed*

**pretty clear**

# **BUILD!**

**Tailored** environment

No **useless** features

Near-perfect **UX**

# FIR

## *in a nutshell*

- **Count, track, manage** cybersec incidents
- More efficient, **less overhead**
- Provides **intelligence** on past incidents
- Generates on-demand **reports** and **statistics**
- Extensible framework
- **Multi-user** (web-based)

Workflow demo

# And **more**...

## Demos, demos, demos!

- **Artifact** collection
- **Incident** correlation
- Investigation **timelines** (nuggets)
- Incident **attributes**
- **Statistics**

# Under the hood

- Web framework - **Django**
- Main language - **Python**
- Sugar coating - **Bootstrap** + **jQuery**
- Bells and whistles - **D3.js**
- Database - **MySQL** (not limited to...)

# Similar stuff

**MISP** - more **malware**-centric

**CRITS** - more **intel**-centric



**FIR** as in beer

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**Challenge** - make it as **generic** as possible

Not custom enough?

**Roll your own,**  
then share

# Contributions

- Available on **GitHub** since March
- **Internationalisation** (+ *in le French*)
- Dockerfiles
- New **modules!** (artifacts, articles)
- **7** merged PRs, **42** forks, **29** issues
- Globally **positive** feedback

# Roadmap

More work on the **TI** part

Email **ingestion**

Web **API**

**Events & hooks**

# That's all folks!

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$ git clone https://github.com/certsocietegenerale/FIR
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*Last chance for questions*